

SAFETY MESSAGE

Personal Safety is our #1 priority

Safety in the Field

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- Always wear your gloves and goggles when decontaminating. Be aware of wind direction and speed so that back-spray does not occur.
- Make sure your hands are clean and free of residue, chemicals, dirt, and other foreign bodies before touching you eyes, or other parts of your face.
- Be aware of the items in your first aid kit and how to use them.
- Use same safety precautions when filling bottles and tanks.
- When driving, be aware of road conditions and adjust your driving accordingly, especially if roads are wet. Don't speed!
- Check your radios each morning and make sure that the batteries are charged so that communication is not compromised.